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State of Delaware:

County of Kent:

Before me, a Notary Public, for the County and State aforesaid, Edward Dulin, known to me to be such, who being sworn according to law deposes and says that he is President of Independent Newsmedia Inc. USA, the publisher of the **Delaware State News**, a daily newspaper published at Dover, County of Kent, and State of Delaware, and that the notice, a copy of which is hereto attached, as published in the **Delaware State News** in its issue of January 29, 2014.



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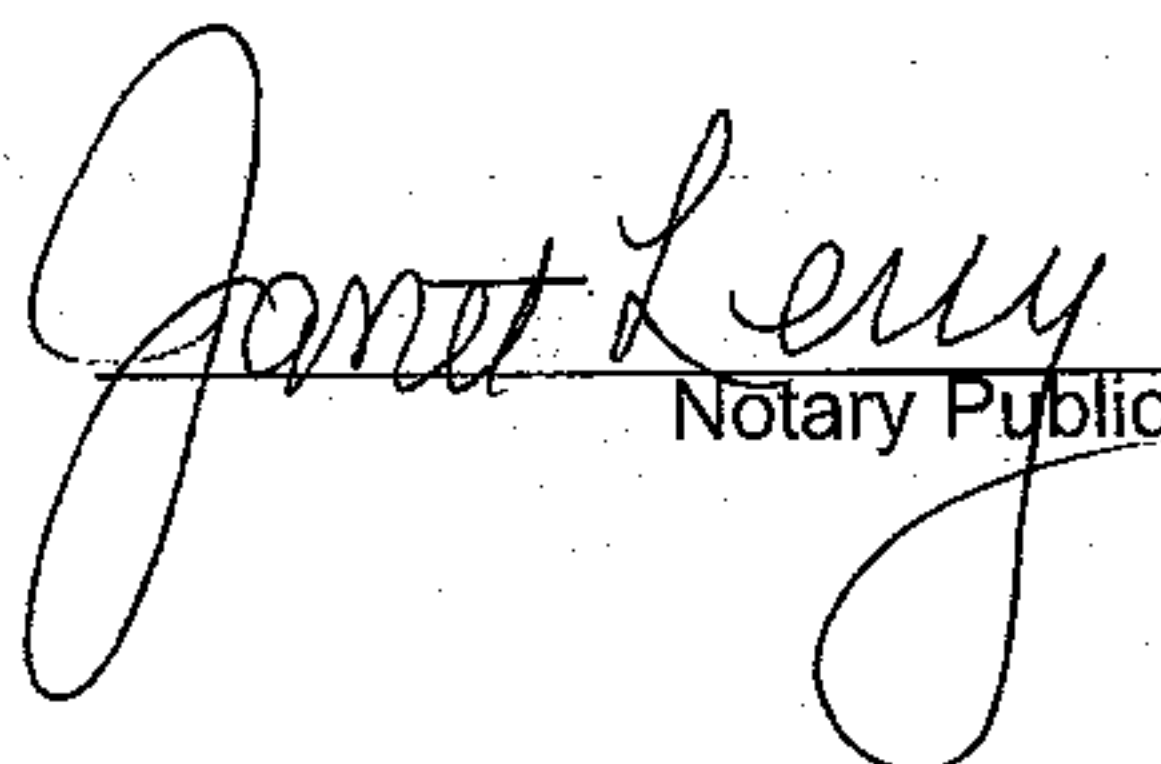
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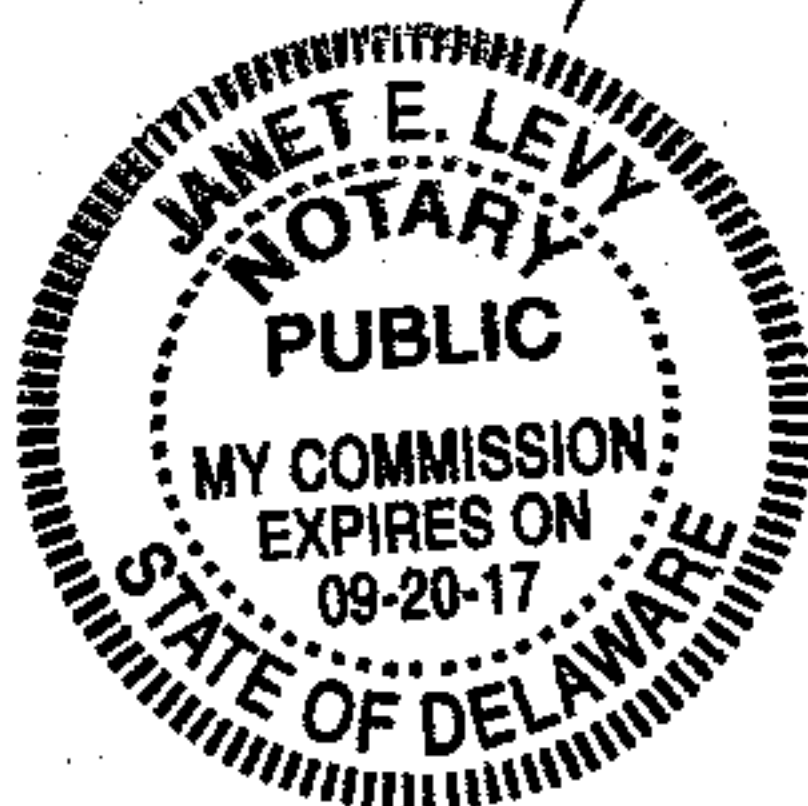
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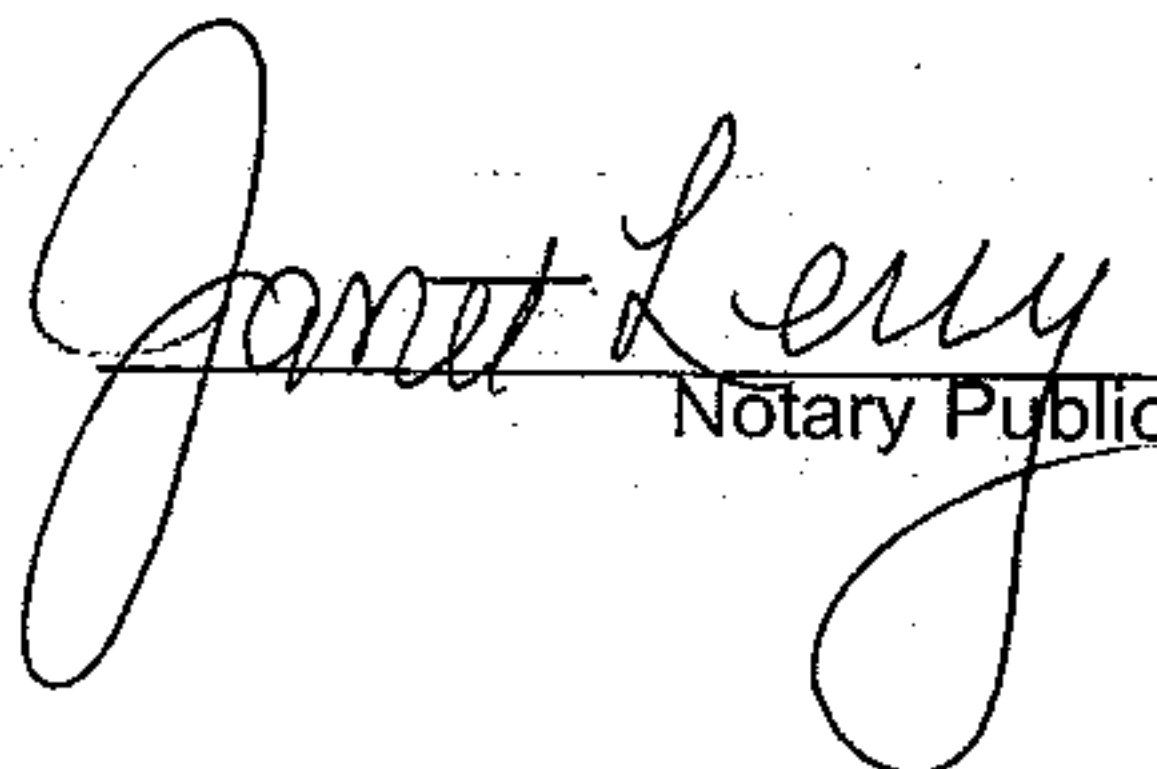
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## INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals for the following will be received by the Delaware Public Service Commission, 85 Silver Lake Boulevard, Suite 100, Cannon Building, Dover, Delaware 19904 until 12:00 pm, Thursday, February 20, 2014 and thereafter shall be publicly opened, read and recorded.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL CONSULTING SERVICES TO THE DELAWARE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE APPLICATION OF DELAWARE UTILITIES, INC. FOR A GENERAL INCREASE IN WATER RATES AND TARIFF REVISIONS. PSC DOCKET NO. 13-402.

The Delaware Public Service Commission is seeking assistance from qualified firms and individuals to provide professional public utility consulting services to support Commission staff in its investigation of this matter. The areas include Cost of Service and Rate Design and Cost of Capital. Requests for proposals can be picked up at 85 Silver Lake Blvd., Suite 100, Cannon Building, Dover, Delaware 19904 or requests for a copy to be mailed can be obtained by calling (302) 736-7500 between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday. The cost for a copy of these requests for proposals is \$10 per page. Copies of Delaware's application and the Request for Proposal can be downloaded from the Delaware website: <http://dpsc.delaware.gov/rfp.html>.

The Public Service Commission may extend the time or change the location for the opening of bids from that set forth above. The PSC will provide no fewer than five calendar days notice in writing of changes or confirmations to those persons who requested copies of the Request for Proposal. 16097 PSC 1/20/14